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Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.  
Title: FAST SOCKET TECHNOLOGY IMPLEMENTATION USING DOORS  
AND MEMORY MAPS  
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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2004,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

1. Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2  
of this paper;
2. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the  
listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper;  
and
3. Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.